

Autonomy teams to report on self-rule agreements

By AVAN SAFADI Post Middle East Affairs Editor... The Israel-Egyptian working groups...

agreed upon, yesterday split into teams of experts to detail what was being referred to as election modalities...

Hussein has 'no intention' of joining autonomy talks

PARIS (Reuters). — King Hussein of Jordan yesterday said he did not plan to join Egypt and Israel in negotiations for the autonomy of the Palestinian people...

volved. "I have no intention of joining Egypt and Israel in negotiations for the autonomy of the Palestinian people," he said.

Canada envoy here

Post Diplomatic Reporter Robert Stanfield, the special Middle East envoy of Canadian Prime Minister Joe Clark...

Deaths denied in Syrian sectarian clashes

LATAKIA, Syria (AP). — Denying "outrageous reports about the peaceful towns," the governor of Syria's largest port yesterday sought to refute reports of serious sectarian clashes...

The popular Blue Beach resort, however, seemed deserted and officials indicated the tourist trade has suffered.

Zimbabwe Rhodesia combatants face off at London peace conference summit table

LONDON (UPI). — Within a bullet-proof security shield, British yesterday convened a make-or-break conference to end a bloody guerrilla war in Zimbabwe Rhodesia...

Joshua Nkomo and Robert Mugabe. Nkomo and Mugabe confronted the Muzorewa-Smith team across the hollow square of the conference table.

Vance queries Soviet envoy on combat brigade in Cuba

WASHINGTON (AP). — Secretary of State Cyrus Vance met with Soviet Ambassador Anatoly Dobrynin yesterday, reportedly to ask the envoy why the Russians have stationed a combat brigade in Cuba.

Before the afternoon meeting at the State Department, Vance and CIA Director Stansfield Turner briefed the Senate Armed Services Committee for 3 1/2 hours on the situation.

POP IN! While cooling your heels at Ben Gurion Airport take steps to keep in touch with Israel...

Police: Major lock-up breakout thwarted

By YORAM BAR Jerusalem Post Reporter TEL AVIV. — On the eve of yesterday's opening of the trial of the three men charged with what authorities have termed the most violent bank robbery in the country's history...

House Speaker 'Tip' O'Neill: Presidential nomination belongs to Ted Kennedy

WASHINGTON. — The speaker of the U.S. House of Representatives, Thomas "Tip" O'Neill, said yesterday that the 1980 Democratic presidential nomination belongs to Senator Edward Kennedy if he wants it.

Weizman in U.S. to ask for \$3.4b. more aid

Post Economic Reporter Defense Minister Ezer Weizman arrived in the U.S. yesterday to present Israel's request for increased economic and military aid to the tune of \$3.4b. for the coming budgetary year.

'Relentless' war on inflation Purchase tax higher on cars; pay freeze seen

By SHLOMO MAOZ Post Economic Reporter The Ministerial Economic Committee yesterday decided on a series of anti-inflation measures — such as increasing the purchase tax on cars and selling state lands — most of which have been decided on in the past but never implemented.

First Egypt-Israel co-production Armies to clash again in Yom Kippur War film

By JUDY SIEGEL Jerusalem Post Reporter A dramatic movie using the Yom Kippur War as a backdrop will be produced by an Egyptian and an Israeli film company with army units from each country serving as "extras," according to Eddie Soffer...



West German Foreign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genscher shows his Israeli counterpart, Moshe Dayan, into his Bonn office yesterday.

Dayan: No crisis with Bonn

Jerusalem Post Reporter and Agencies BONN. — Foreign Minister Moshe Dayan emerged yesterday from a meeting with his West German counterpart, Hans-Dietrich Genscher, to declare that there is no crisis in Israel-German relations.

Israel-made film at Cairo festival

By JOAN BOESTER Jerusalem Post Reporter Israeli film producer and director Menahem Golan will attend the Cairo Film Festival which begins next Monday if the Egyptians grant him a visa in time.

Bahais protest Irani persecution

TORONTO (AP). — Canadian followers of the Baha'i religion have protested to the Ayatollah Khomeini against the destruction of their religious centre in Iran.

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THE WEATHER

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In Memoriam

A memorial service and unveiling of the tombstones of Reb Avraham Moshe Dulzin and his wife Miriam will take place in Jerusalem tomorrow at 10 a.m. at Har Hamenuhot's Hassidim plot, in the presence of family and friends.

ARRIVALS

Mrs. Israel Young, national vice-president of American Israeli Women, accompanied by her husband, for a visit.

Kuwaiti arrest Khomeini's nephew

BEIRUT (UPI). — Lebanon's Christian Phalangist radio yesterday said that the Kuwaiti government arrested the nephew of Iranian leader Ayatollah Khomeini for inciting people to revolt against Kuwait's ruling family.

'Demon' decapitated

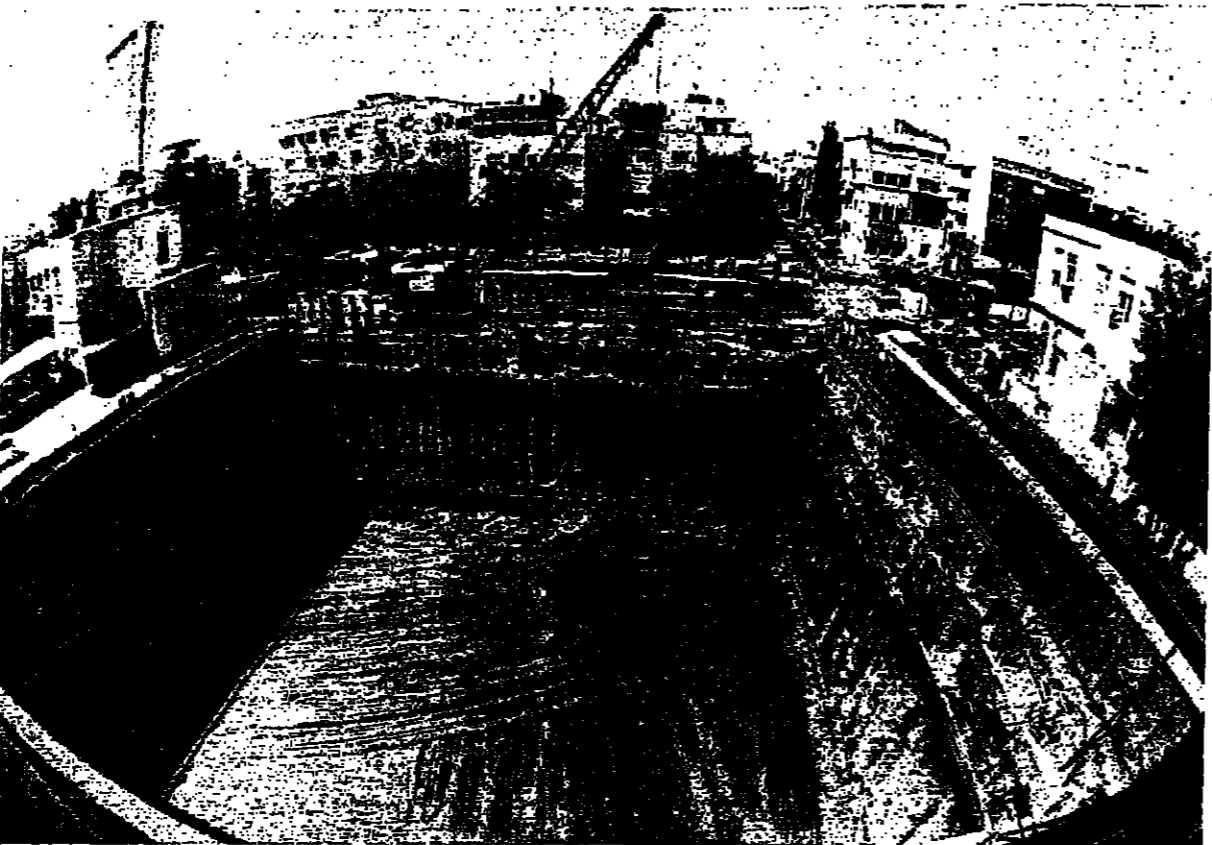
NEW YORK (Reuter). — A deacon was decapitated with an axe outside a New York church by a man who apparently believed him to be the devil, police said yesterday.

Leopard changes spot from wilderness to zoo

A rare Palestinian leopard was captured near Eilat last week and transferred to the Fetah Tikva zoo.

PELTOURS ISRAEL

proudly welcomes all participants in the 5th World Congress of the International College of Psychosomatic Medicine



A big hole in the heart of Little Tel Aviv — a bulldozer is dwarfed by the 15-metre-high retaining walls surrounding this excavation site at the corner of Rothschild Boulevard and Rehov Yavne. The General Bank of Israel is building its offices on the site. (Yigal Yissachar)

MDA votes to close all branches

By ALAN ELSNER Jerusalem Post Reporter TEL AVIV. — The heads of all the country's Magen David Adom branches, at an emergency meeting yesterday, decided to close all MDA branches unless the government gives the organization "immediate and massive aid." No date was set for the closure, but an MDA source said that a national council meeting scheduled for Sunday will review developments and decide.

Two MDA branches are already effectively closed, with one more operating a skeleton service. The last ambulance in Holon, which was kept on duty for cases of extreme emergency, is no longer in operation. Holon residents must now call Donolo Hospital in Jaffa for emergency services.

All 45 workers of the Tel Aviv MDA branch received letters dismissing them from their jobs yesterday. The Tel Aviv branch is IL2m in debt, and has been instructed by MDA headquarters not to take any more loans to stay open.

JERUSALEM POST POLL

Public sees outside interference in TV

By MARK SEGAL Post Political Correspondent TEL AVIV. — A majority of the public believes that there is undue outside interference in television programming, primarily by the government.

Thus 43.6 per cent of those who only finished primary school did not see any extraneous influences, compared to 33.8 per cent of those who completed secondary school and 21.3 per cent of university graduates.

INFLATION

(Continued from page 1) the past, with no serious attempt ever made to implement it.

Lands Administration ridicules decision to free 200,000 dunam for housing

Post Economic Reporter Israel Lands Administration sources yesterday ridiculed the government's decision to release 200,000 dunam for public sector building and another 100,000 dunam for private residential construction.

Prosecutors to get IL6,000 more

By YORAM BAR Jerusalem Post Reporter The 170 state attorneys will be back in court today after reaching an agreement with the Civil Service Commission and Justice Ministry.

The Lands Administration is also in an emotional state over the prediction by Liberal ministers holding economic portfolios that releasing land for sale of lease to the public would mop up surplus cash from the economy.

Harp festival enters last round

The seventh International Harp Contest is going into its third and final round tomorrow with six finalists fighting for the prizes which range from \$600 to \$2,000.

Ophira people may block Sinai roads

By JOSHUA BRILLIANT Jerusalem Post Reporter Ophira's residents yesterday threatened to prevent holiday-makers from reaching Santa Katerina and Ras Muhammad on Roah Hashahana.

AUTONOMY

(Continued from page 1) Negotiators here have not been touching on the controversial substantive issues of East Jerusalem, the status of the military government during the transitional period or the Sinai's troop redeployment in the territories.

After a 90-minute talk with Egyptian President Anwar Sadat last night, Strauss said he saw the Egyptian leader "going from his previous optimism and hope for an overall success of the peace process to absolute certainty in his mind that this process would succeed."

ZIMBABWE

(Continued from page 1) Club. Police massed between them. This strike-by-strike conference followed agreement at a Commonwealth summit in Lusaka, Zambia, earlier this year.

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NOA SIVAN

(née Offenbacher) has passed away. The funeral will leave the Sanhedria Funeral Parlour at 3.00 p.m. today for Har Hamenuhot.

In dispute on settlements Knesset c'tee to hear Yadin appeal next week

By ASHER WALLFISH Post Knesset Reporter The Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defence Committee will discuss the Democratic Movement's appeal against two new West Bank settlements next Monday.

NRP Knesset faction, said yesterday that the NRP did not recognize Yadin's right of appeal against settlement in the area, because it had signed the coalition agreement with the DMC, and not with Yadin's splinter, the Democratic Movement.

Likud calls off debate on Ehrlich's policies

By SARAH KONIG Post Political Reporter TEL AVIV. — Likud Knesset faction members yesterday protested against Finance Minister Simcha Ehrlich's economic policies by keeping mum. The debate expected at a meeting with the ministers did not materialise, when the MKs decided not to consider the economic issues on the agenda.

Hurwitz hesitant over leaving Likud

By JOSHUA BRILLIANT Jerusalem Post Reporter TEL AVIV. — MK Yigal Hurwitz, who heads one of the two La'am groups, said yesterday he has not yet decided whether he will support the recommendation by the faction's representatives in the Histadrut to quit the Likud.

Arafat proposes meeting with U.S. black leader

WASHINGTON (UPI). — PLO leader Yasser Arafat has proposed a meeting with American black leader Jesse Jackson, Congressman Paul Findley said yesterday.

The decision to quit the Likud in the Histadrut needs ratification by the movement's executive, which will meet in a few weeks.

Tel Aviv blast was terror act—police

TEL AVIV (Itim). — Police laboratory tests confirmed yesterday that the explosion on Friday night at Rehov Yisud Hama'ala was the work of terrorists. The terrorists apparently planted a plastic explosive charge next to a gas cylinder. Police are searching for the perpetrators, but so far no arrests have been made.

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Levy: Gafny turned country against gov't

By SHLOMO MAOZ
Post Economic Reporter
Housing and Absorption Minister David Levy yesterday accused the governor of the Bank of Israel, Arnon Gafny, of "sacking the whole country on the government" causing unrest and denying all hope of improvement in the economic situation.

Ministerial Economic Committee by saying that the bank's economic forecasts "include and are based on" the committee's decisions — a hint that the committee's work precludes effective execution.

Dulzin absorption stand gets mild Agency support

By JUDY SIEGEL
Jerusalem Post Reporter
The Jewish Agency Executive yesterday voiced support for chairman Arye Dulzin's "struggle for making the aliya and absorption system more efficient and concentrating care of the immigrant in a single body."

Executive only with Herut's help." Sources close to Levy maintained yesterday that the minister would not apologize because "he told the truth."

South Lebanon's 'Voice of Hope' is on the air

Jerusalem Post Staff and Agencies
MARJAYOUN. — An American evangelist began broadcasting "the word of God" to war-scarred Southern Lebanon yesterday, playing the theme from the movie "Exodus" as one of its first songs.

NEWS ANALYSIS/By Sarah Honig Labour jittery after Beit Berl meet

TEL AVIV. — Trouble is brewing in Labour. With early elections seen as increasingly likely, the question of what group will lead the party at the polls is an issue never far from the surface.

ly lacks institutions and small decision-making forums." Harif has said that the sole subject on the group's agenda were socio-economic problems, and that no political personnel problems came up.

Shuttle buses and transfers being considered for J'lem

By ABRAHAM RABINOVICH
Jerusalem Post Reporter
Shuttle buses and transfers are among the ideas being weighed by a committee studying reorganization of Jerusalem's bus routes.

recommendations are expected by mid-November. Two other alternatives are being studied. One calls for loop routes that would bring buses into the downtown area and return them to their starting terminal without crossing to the other side of town.

Rabin: Peres premiership wouldn't have stopped book

By SARAH HONIG
Post Political Reporter
TEL AVIV. — Former premier Yitzhak Rabin yesterday said that even if Labour Party chairman Shimon Peres had been prime minister, he (Rabin) would have published his scathing criticism of Peres.

Moscow Book Fair: a success for Israel

Jerusalem Post Reporter
TEL AVIV. — Israel's participation in the Moscow Book Fair, which ended yesterday, was a success despite some harassment by Soviet authorities, according to Shlomo Erel, director of the Book and Printing Centre of the Israel Export Institute.



Yitzhak Rabin at his press conference yesterday. (IPPA)

Birthday party ends in arrests

TEL AVIV (Him). — Police raided a birthday party in Rehov Ezer Hasofer here early yesterday morning, arrested some 20 celebrants of both sexes and confiscated large amounts of hashish.

13 Israeli guides depart for Egypt
Post Tourism Reporter
The first group of Israelis trained as tour guides of Egypt left yesterday for an eight-day trip to Egypt after the 13 Israelis completed a three-month course organized by a Tel Aviv University Egyptologist.

Yishuv volunteers at Beit Hanassi Jewish Tommies tell their tales of times in WWII

By JUDY SIEGEL
Jerusalem Post Reporter
Eighty greying men, many wearing battle ribbons and medals over the breast pockets of their white shirts, searched their memories yesterday for their experiences as Jewish soldiers in the British army fighting against the Nazis.

3 'Mezah' stronghold soldiers' burials today

Three soldiers who died defending the "Mezah" stronghold on the Suez Canal on the first day of the Yom Kippur War will be buried today. Their bodies were identified on Sunday.

when the message in them is still useful and meaningful, as an important part of the public's education.

Psychosomatic meet opens in capital

Jerusalem Post Reporter
Some 450 experts, including physicians, anthropologists, psychiatrists and swamis, are participating in the International Congress on Psychosomatic Medicine which opened in Jerusalem yesterday.

Participants, from 25 countries, are to discuss such issues as the difference between Eastern and Western concepts in treating psychosomatic illness, the effect of the Holocaust on its victims, the effect of weather on stress and demons in traditional societies.

MKs asked to set example on roads

The Knesset subcommittee on road accidents decided yesterday to call on all MKs, government ministers, army officers and policemen to drive carefully and serve as an example to other drivers.

When the committee, which met yesterday under the chairmanship of Meir Amit, also called on the police to step up their presence on the roads as a deterrent.

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Iran grief-stricken over Taleghani death

TEHERAN (UPI). — Iran yesterday mourned the death of its second most important leader, Ayatollah Syed Mahmoud Taleghani, with an unprecedented public expression of grief across the country.

Taleghani, 68, died of heart failure less than two hours after a prolonged meeting at his home with Soviet Ambassador Vladimir Vinogradov. His presidency of the secretive Islamic Revolutionary Council of Ayatollah Khomeini was revealed only after his death, indicating for the first time his key position in the Islamic regime.

Sanjay Gandhi, supporters arrested for row in court

NEW DELHI (AP). — Sanjay Gandhi, son of former prime minister Indira Gandhi, and 180 supporters were arrested yesterday after they forced their way into a courtroom in Dehra Dun, northern India, the United News of India reported.

He is currently on bail in the different cases and appealing a conviction for ordering the destruction of a politically satirical film, which brought a two-year sentence.

Siamese twins' separation televised

TAIPEI (UPI). — A team of 36 doctors and medical experts yesterday successfully separated Siamese twins attached below the waist, creating two one-legged children in a nationally televised operation, hospital sources said.

Doctors and the twins' parents agreed on the operation, the first of its kind in Asia, last May after months of uncertainty.

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The Jerusalem Beit Knesset of the World Council of Synagogues 4 Agron St. We are pleased to announce that, in order to accommodate our expanding congregation, we will again have parallel services for the High Holidays in the auditorium of the Women's League for Israel 14 Ibn Gabirol St.

The Hebrew University of Jerusalem Martin Buber Adult Education Centre Registration is still open for the Hebrew-Arabic Ulpan Classes in Spoken Arabic for Beginners Running from Thursday, September 6, 1979 until the end of December 1979.



Zimbabwe Rhodesia leaders Premier Abel Muzorewa, Dr. S. Muzarirwa, and former premier Ian Smith at the opening of the London conference aimed at bringing peace to the southern African nation.

Cuba's Russian troops threaten Carter and SALT, but not U.S.

WASHINGTON Post News Service WASHINGTON. — Despite the publicity, despite the hand-wringing in the Senate and despite the president's concern over this "very serious matter," no one in the military or intelligence communities here regard the Soviet force in Cuba as a military threat to the U.S.

Jimmy Carter could handle the affair. The Russians could easily resolve his political problem by withdrawing the brigade. But that may not be their response.

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Seventh foreigner slain Canadian tourist killed in Afghanistan

ISLAMABAD (Reuter). — A Canadian tourist was shot dead in Afghanistan Sunday, the seventh foreigner killed since Friday.

civilian advisers in Afghanistan have been a key target for the insurgents fighting to overthrow the Soviet-backed government in Kabul.

assaults also threw grenades at the home of Sijghatullah al-Mojaddidi, leader of the Afghanistan National Liberation Front, one of the six guerrilla groups represented in Peshawar.

Airport shootout leaves one dead

MADRID (UPI). — A youth, ordered to open his suitcase at an airport metal detector, pulled out a pistol and fled after an exchange of shots with police that killed a woman passenger.

air terminal and two railroad stations in Madrid by Basque separatists killed seven travellers.

Archie gets his 4th Emmy award

LOS ANGELES (UPI). — Carroll O'Connor this week won a fourth Emmy for his portrayal of cantankerous Archie Bunker in "All in the Family."

The Ministry of Communications announces changes in telephone numbers IN TEL AVIV

Effective Friday, September 14, 1979, at 2 p.m., numbers beginning with the digit 5 will change to six-digit numbers. From this changeover time, a 6 is to be added at the front of the number. Otherwise, numbers are unchanged. Example: the number 53967 becomes 653967.

Marcos hints no speedy end to martial law in Philippines

MANILA (Reuter). — Philippines President Ferdinand Marcos said yesterday it would be folly to lift martial law while there were threats of increasing superpower confrontation, regional conflict, internal problems and even the possibility of nuclear war.

On the platform to review the troops with him were several clerical leaders of the largely Catholic country, including Cardinal Jaime Sin who has been successfully vocal in calls for a speedy end to martial law.

Soviets developing world's largest transport plane

GENEVA (AP). — The Soviet Union is developing a huge new military transport plane to succeed the Antonov-22 series, several of which are known to have crashed, a Swiss aviation publication said yesterday.

It said that the crashes "indicate fatigue problems with the airframe, while the very short time between overhauls of the engines indicates that the aircraft's huge turboprops perform unsatisfactorily."

Getting into Chinese college is easier said than done

PEKING (AP). — Chanting "we want to go to school," about 300 students staged a sit-in at the municipal offices yesterday, complaining that they had passed their entrance examinations but were not admitted to college.

several days of complaints in the press and on "Democracy Wall." Calls to the revolutionary committee and Education Ministry produced no answers.

Fear Moro's daughter is terror target

ROME (AP). — Anti-terrorist police said yesterday they were investigating a possible attempt to kill Mrs. Gloriana, 30-year-old daughter of slain Italian politician Aldo Moro.

Apparently unable to furnish further details, Her sister, Maria Fida Moro, said in a brief newspaper interview that only Anna's presence of mind saved her from being hit by the car.

Iriyat Tel Aviv Yafo Culture, Youth and Sports Dept. Ministry of Education and Culture Adult Education Section Adult Education Dept. Improve Your Language! New classes have been opened for beginners, intermediate and advanced students at the Balfour School, Tel Aviv.

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מקראות תורה

AMNON ALTMAN, the new head of the Government Tourism Administration...

Going against him is the fact that he has inherited a disgruntled group of employees...

In a recent interview with The Jerusalem Post, however, the former director of films and light industry...

For example, prices for the coming spring and summer season have not yet been set...

Altman said that the hotels have agreed on what he called "maximum price rises"...

Meanwhile, Altman has been consulting both hotel people and tour agents on how to sell the country.

In the U.S., which has been sending fewer tourists abroad in the past year, the appeal will be to specific income and age groups...

Altman favours setting up an advisory forum, with members of the industry and government meeting periodically...

As a matter of fact, the number of people involved in checking up on hotels, guides, shops and restaurants is so limited that the inspectors are

'OUTSIDER' SET FOR NEW START

By HAIM SHAPIRO/Jerusalem Post Reporter

limited to a purely passive role. They can only act on complaints received from tourists.

But, he added, an effort is being made in Eilat to improve the situation. Three municipal inspectors...

The campaign, he says, should end many of the complaints regarding Eilat by the large European charter operators.

"khan," with shops, a piazza and a stage for public performances.

On the beach a central services building is being erected which will provide for a fee, clean toilets, showers and changing rooms.

Morever, he has met with the head of the housekeeping, to iron out the problems of short supplies in the

willingness to learn from his staff and stresses the need for a fresh start.

Whatever the mistakes of the past, he is now faced with trying to make the tourism administration work like a normal government office...

He has visited each department in an attempt to get to know the workers and their problems.

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Amnon Altman

(Aliza Auerbach)

tourism office. Even a lack of toilet paper is something that must not be overlooked, he stressed.

Another step which he hopes will result in an improved atmosphere within the administration is that soon after he entered his new office, a number of employees were up-graded.

He is also hopeful that the economic planning department, which was allowed to disintegrate in the past few years, will be reactivated.

POET WILLIAM MEREDITH started his audience at the American Cultural Centre in Jerusalem last week when he argued for the importance of "entertainment" in poetry.

The proposition was especially surprising coming from a self-confessed "academic poet" and establishment figure...

Best known for "The Wreck of the Threshold," "The Open Sea" and "Earth Walk," the 50-year-old poet has taught at East Coast universities for half his life...

Thus it was surprising to hear Meredith vigorously endorse poetry that is "easily accessible to the public."

"I believe we've passed through the period of the 'private' poem," he told his audience...

"We're seeing now a long overdue response to that sort of thing," he continued, "the idea is that if the poet can't entertain, he won't have a chance to get anything else through to the reader..."

"The instincts of a Ferlinghetti, I've finally come to believe, are essentially correct. The alternative is to have a philosophy book talking through a typewriter."

Poetry for pleasure

By S.T. MERRAVI/Jerusalem Post Reporter



William Meredith

(Jasiah Karinsky)

MEREDITH illustrated his thesis by reading some highly accessible poems by younger American writers...

"REM Sleep" was a fanciful speculation on what a sleeper's eyes are up to when engaged in what sleep researchers call "Rapid Eye Movement"...

meditation on John Berryman's essay on Anne Frank: asserting that "the hardest challenge a person faces is defeat," Meredith said that the prematurely wise Ann Frank had helped the emotionally stunted Berryman, who had gone "from bottle to bottle" in an attempt to hide from life.

"Dying Away" was written in homage to Sigmund Freud, and even incorporates quotations from the psychoanalyst into the verse.

die we adopt a special attitude: something like admiration for someone who has accomplished a very difficult task...

All of Meredith's new poems were inspired by things he had read, rather than by experience.

"I can appreciate now even the rationale to propagandize, such as Robert Bly and Denise Levertov did with their anti-Vietnam War poetry," he said.

Meredith indicated that lengthy debate and correspondence with younger poets was nudging him into accepting the idea that the poet should be an "engaged" citizen.

"Armed with his new commitment to bringing poetry to the people, the academician made his point well during his brief visit to Israel. His audience found Meredith's poetry entertaining and elevating, and it responded warmly."

IT HAS been on the map since 1901, which makes Menahamiya the first settlement in the Jordan Valley.

He is indebted to Moshe Timor (2nd programme, Thursday, noon) for bringing it to him even if ever so briefly into the limelight.

I happen to know about Menahamiya (named after the father of first High Commissioner Herbert Samuel and after the Arabic name of the place, MHAMIYA), because I lived for kilometers or so to the north in a moshava that could have been Menahamiya's twin.

Menahamiya was where we had our shooting range - "we" being Jordan Company Number 11. Remember the boys with the slouch hats? What stands out in my memory was the bathing place in the Jordan. The current there made swimming a challenge.

Scientifically, Menahamiya was a gem with its towering avenues of palms, planted before anyone knew that dates would do well in the area.

Forgotten pioneer

LISTENING IN... Ze'ev Schul

ing hills to the west. There was malaria in all its varieties, tropical and the terrible (recurrent) type and "black fever."

MENAHAMIYA is not a development town, and the local council wants to know why.

"Geographically and in all other respects we do qualify," radio listeners were told.

Menahamiya is being governed in an exemplary fashion (we were told), but since it doesn't get preferential treatment, people would rather go where the grass is greener.

only Menahamiya, but also other veteran settlements in the area like Yavne'el (turn of the century) Sejera-Ikana, Mipre, Migdal, Rosh Pina and Metulla all seem to share the same fate.

Under the Labour regime, they were step-children because of their "pig-headed" political independence.

Why, asks our man from Menahamiya, has a preferential status been given to Kiryat Shmona but none to nearby and even closer to the frontier Metulla?

WE LISTENED gratefully to the networks' (plural) - Galei Zahal was, as usual, excellent coverage of President Sadat's visit to Israel.

HONEY CAKE

- 1 cup honey, 8 eggs, 1/2 cup oil, 1 cup brown sugar, 1 t. vanilla, 1 cup pitted dates (optional), 1/2 cup strong coffee, 1 t. baking soda, 1 t. cinnamon, 3 cups flour, 1 t. baking powder, 1/2 cup chopped nuts.

RAISIN CARROT CAKE

- 1 1/2 cups flour, 1 t. baking powder, 1/2 t. baking soda, 1/2 t. salt, 1 t. cinnamon, 4 eggs, separated, 1/2 cup brown sugar, 1/2 cup oil, 1/2 cup water, 1 cup grated raw carrots.

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Sweet cakes for a sweet New Year

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Share market weakens, bonds remain firm

TEL AVIV. — The index-linked bond market continued to remain firm as trading activity was very moderate yesterday at IL47.2m.

Stocks & bonds — the market report

By JOSEPH MORGENTHAU Post Finance Reporter

In contrast the share market continued to weaken as insurance, industrials and investment company shares trended lower.

merical banks all advanced by one point with the exception of Union Bank which gained two.

profits of IL34.5m. advanced by 88 per cent as compared with those for the similar period ending on June 30, 1978.

Property and Building traded unchanged while ILDC was dropping a few points.

Polgat was down by 15. Others in the group showed up with relatively small losses.

Closing prices on the Tel Aviv Stock Exchange

Table with columns: September 10, 1979, Closing price, Volume, Change. Lists various stocks like D.B. pref., D.B. "B", etc.

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Table with columns: Closing price, Volume, Change. Lists various stocks like Prop. & Bldg. opt. "A", Prop. & Bldg. 15% deb. 4, etc.

Table with columns: Closing price, Volume, Change. Lists various stocks like Nechuanhan b, Elite, Elite opt. 2, etc.

Representative bond prices

Table with columns: Bond name, Price, Change. Lists bonds like 6.5% Defence loan, 7% (Ayin Heh), etc.

New York Stock Exchange

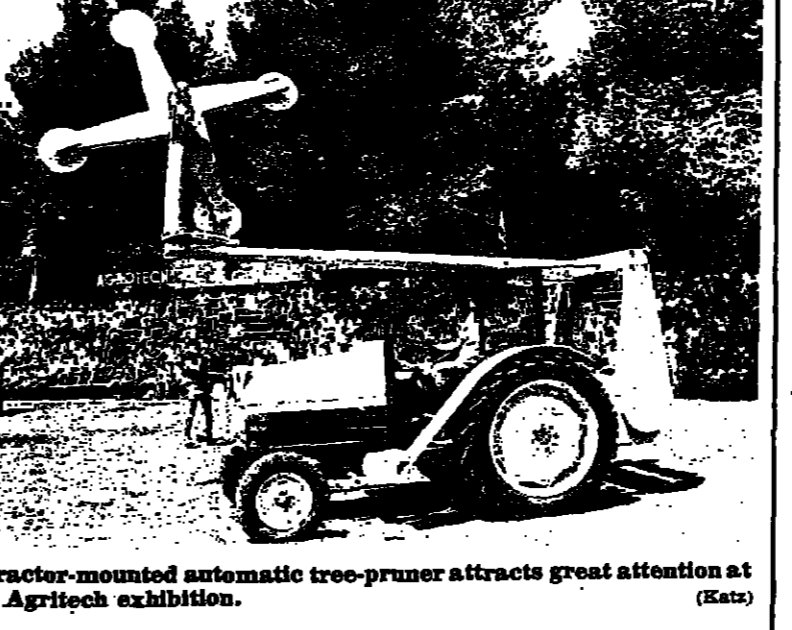
Table with columns: Stock name, Closing price, Change. Lists Dow Jones Industrial Average, Allied Chemical, etc.

Bank of Israel representative foreign exchange rates — Sept. 10

Table with columns: Currency, Rate. Lists British sterling, German mark, French franc, etc.

Eilat had highest year round occupancy rate

By SHEILA MELTZER Jerusalem Post Reporter. Eilat, in spite of the season's late start, rises in air fares and the cost of petrol.



A tractor-mounted automatic tree-pruner attracts great attention at the Agritech exhibition.

Agricultural technology has major export potential says Sharon

By ALAN ELSNER Jerusalem Post Reporter. TEL AVIV. — Agriculture Minister Ariel Sharon yesterday opened the Agritech exhibition of agricultural mechanization and technology at the National Exhibition grounds here.

Gold between \$335 and \$337

LONDON (AP). — Gold bullion prices rebounded as the European week started yesterday. But they sagged to finish the day up on Friday's closing.

Sudan profits by selling Saudi oil

KUWAIT (AP). — Sudanese President Ja'afar Numeiri's recent visit to Saudi Arabia was intended to heal a rift over the Sudan's unauthorized resale of Saudi oil at premium prices.

Table with columns: Selling, Buying. Lists various currencies like U.S. \$, DM, Swiss Fr., etc.

Several new companies will be selling Eilat in Europe this winter for the first time. In Sweden, Vingresor, which pioneered Scandinavian travel to Eilat in 1968 for two seasons and then gave up, has decided to give up another try.

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